

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Madaline Chirica, *et al.*

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For: MAMMALIAN RECEPTOR  
PROTEIN DCRS5; METHODS OF  
TREATMENT  
(as amended)

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312**

Honorable Sir:

Applicants submit this amendment pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312 to correct formal matters in the allowed claims. The issue fee has not yet been paid. The amendments to the claims presented below represent changes relative to the claim set submitted by Applicants on 8-November-2007, in light of an Examiner's Amendment dated 31-January-2008. Entry of the amendment is respectfully requested.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.